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Marietta Power & Water 100<sup>TH</sup> Anniversary




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## 2006 Water Quality Report Reinforces Consumer Confidence



Marietta Water customers learned once again that they enjoy one of Georgia's highest quality water supplies when the 2006 Water Quality Report came out recently.



"The report was recently mailed to customers and will also be posted on our Web site," said Tim Marshall, Environmental Compliance Coordinator for Marietta Water. "The report includes information on your water source, the levels of any detected contaminants, and details on how Marietta Water complies with drinking water rules, plus some educational material."

"Marshall said the 2006 report reveals that Marietta Water contin-

ues its long record of maintaining extremely high standards for water quality boosting consumer confidence. The 2005 Water Quality Report by Marietta Water was recognized by the Georgia Association of Water Professionals (GAWP) as the best Consumer Confidence Report in the state's Large Surface Water System category. GAWP also named your hometown water utility as the 2005 Water Distribution System of the Year for superlative operations in the category of systems serving 10,000 to 50,000 customers."

Marietta Water customers can find a copy of the report posted on the Internet at [www.marietta-ga.gov/Water/envcomp.htm](http://www.marietta-ga.gov/Water/envcomp.htm). ⚡

## Remember Area Water Restrictions When Gardening This Summer


Marietta Water remains committed to providing its customers with the highest quality water available. At the same time, the utility asks its customers to help us make the most of this precious resource by following the current statewide pre-drought, outdoor watering restrictions:

◆ Customers with addresses that end in odd numbers should only water on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Sundays (no hourly limits).

- ◆ Customers with addresses that end in even numbers should only water on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Saturdays (no hourly limits).
- ◆ No outdoor watering should take place on Fridays.

For more information on water conservation, please visit [www.mariettaga.gov/water](http://www.mariettaga.gov/water). ⚡

## Marietta Power and Water Needs Your Correct Phone Number to Respond Quickly in Case of an Emergency



Please check with Marietta Power and Water to make sure that we have your correct phone number on file in our computer system.

"Marietta Power and Water's interactive voice response system, or IVR,

utilizes the telephone numbers in our customer database to identify a caller's location when someone calls to report an outage or electrical emergency," said Sherri Rashad, Customer Service Manager. "For that reason, Marietta Power and Water urges every customer

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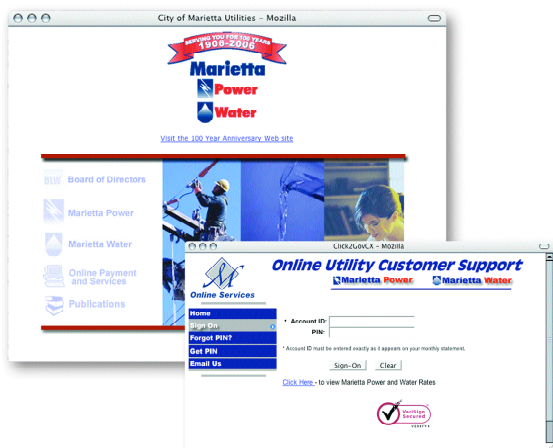
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# Marietta Power and Water Needs Your Correct Phone Number to Respond Quickly in Case of Emergency (continued)

to check his or her record every so often to make sure that we still have their correct phone number on file.”

Customers can verify their phone number by visiting [www.mariettapower.com](http://www.mariettapower.com) and clicking on the link to the Marietta Power home page. Once there, click the “Online Payments” link near the top left corner of the screen. A new screen will then appear and offer you the option of requesting a personal identification number (PIN). If you have used the system before, you can simply log in from this screen. To obtain a PIN click “Get PIN.” You will need to enter your account number and your cycle and route number exactly as they appear on your utility bill.

After completing this simple set-up process, you can log into Marietta Power and Water’s Online Payment System any-time, day or night, all year round. After confirming that Marietta Power and Water has your correct telephone number on file, you can pay your current bill or request a chart of your electric and water consumption, billing amounts, and payments — as far back as three years if you’d like.



[www.mariettapower.com](http://www.mariettapower.com)

If the phone number Marietta Power and Water has listed is incorrect, customers can contact Marietta Power and Water immediately to correct the information by clicking the e-mail link on the Web site or by e-mailing [thepower@mariettaga.gov](mailto:thepower@mariettaga.gov). ⚡

## Calendar of Events

### August 3 through 6 Georgia Tax-Free Shopping Holiday

Additional information and a comprehensive list of exempt items are available at any of the Department of Revenue's regional offices or on the Internet at the Department's Web site [www.gatax.org](http://www.gatax.org). Individuals can also get information by calling (404) 417-6601 or contacting the Department via e-mail at [salestaxholiday@gatax.org](mailto:salestaxholiday@gatax.org).

### August 6 through September 24 Turned Funny A World Premier

Theatre in the Square. Marietta. Tuesday through Saturday 8 p.m.; Sunday 2:30 and 7 p.m. (No 7 p.m. show on Sept. 24). Tickets \$18 to \$33. Call (770) 422-8369 or visit [www.theatreinthesquare.com](http://www.theatreinthesquare.com) for information.

### Friday, August 25 Glover Park Evening Concert

Marietta Square. Bring a blanket and enjoy a free concert on the Square at 8 p.m. Jimmy Buffet Tribute Show will be performing. Call (770) 794-5601 or visit [www.city.mariettaga.gov](http://www.city.mariettaga.gov) for more information.

### August 25 and 26 Cobb County Classic Rodeo

Jim R. Miller Park. Marietta. 8 p.m. Adults \$15, children \$12, children 5 and under are free. Call (770) 684-7277 for information.

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